



*Information Management Policies
Assessment for Cities Transportation Systems*

Urban Environment : Strategies for the 7th Framework Program

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Towards a Thematic Strategy on the Urban Environment for European cities

- ➡ **The objectives of the Lisbon Council**
- ➡ **Sustainable development : a political aim for the EU**

Trends and Evolution of the European City

- ⇒ **Globalization**
- ⇒ **Age Structure**
- ⇒ **Relations of the cities with their surroundings**
- ⇒ **Cities as subjects of research**

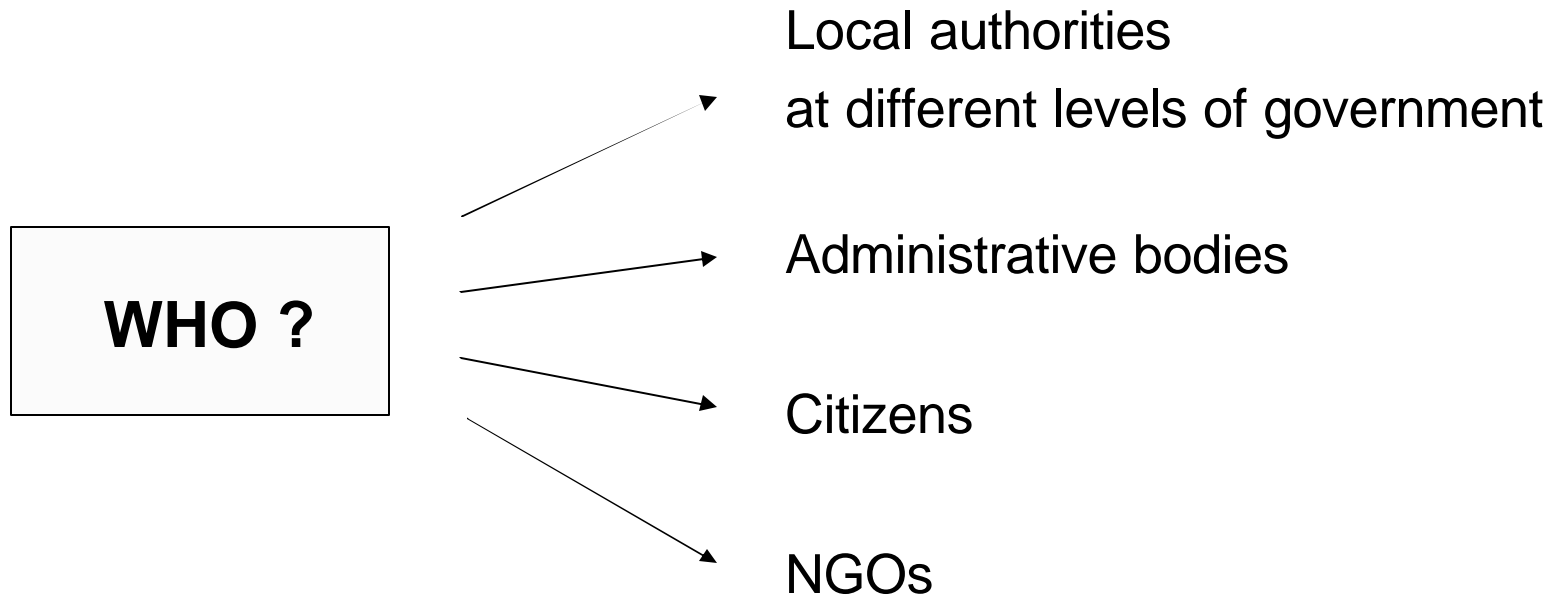
New approaches for the Sustainable European City

- ➡ **Sustainable environmental management plans**
- ➡ **Urban system approach**
- ➡ **New forms of cooperation**
- ➡ **Networks**
- ➡ **Sustainable economic development**

Research needs

- ➡ **Evaluating and assessing sustainable urban development**
- ➡ **Analysing behaviour and stakeholder expectations**
- ➡ **Adopting sustainable urban mobility plans**
- ➡ **Using information technologies**
- ➡ **Considering energy and mobility**
- ➡ **Choosing density versus sprawl**
- ➡ **Deciding sustainable building and construction**

Training (1)



Training (2)

WHAT ?

Sustainable transport plans

Air quality and noise

Alternative fuel substitution

Education efforts

New trends in traffic management

Modal split

Construction and planning

Reuse of land

Awareness and support

- ➡ **The NGOs and the general public**
- ➡ **The citizens**
- ➡ **Intermediate organizations**
- ➡ **And an international cooperation !**

Thank you for your kind attention !